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Owyhee River Canyon



Welcome to Your Public Lands

Recreating on public lands in Idaho can mean relaxing while fly-fishing along a scenic shoreline, backpacking through awe-inspiring mountains, paddling through world-class whitewater in remote canyons or riding off-highway vehicles (OHVs) through vast mountain and desert landscapes.

Outdoor recreation opportunities abound throughout the diverse landscapes of Idaho's 12 million acres of public land managed by the Bureau of Land Management (BLM).

These public lands host many unique and special outdoor opportunities where visitors can enjoy some of the most scenic spots in Idaho and learn more about the state's history. Many of these sites are part of the BLM's National Landscape Conservation System (NLCS), which serves to protect and conserve special places on public lands.

Check out the spectacular wilderness areas and wild and scenic rivers of the Owyhee Canyonlands, walk the vast lava fields of the Craters of the Moon National Monument, or view raptors at the Morley Nelson Snake

River Birds of Prey National Conservation Area.

Take a step back in time to learn more about Idaho's history by exploring the National Scenic and Historic Trails of Idaho including the Lewis and Clark, Nez Perce, Oregon, California and Continental Divide Trails.

Explore Idaho by taking one of the many Scenic or Backcountry Byways that traverse the state. Find a quiet spot to stop along the route, grab binoculars and search for the variety of wildlife that call this area home.

Get outside to hike with the family on the Mineral Ridge or Hells Gulch National Recreation Trails (both have interpretive signage) or camp next to the mighty Salmon River at one of BLM's many developed recreation sites.

A diversity of recreational opportunities is available in Idaho for individuals of all ages and interests. Public lands may be located in your backyard, so get out and explore the outdoors, it's yours!



Know Before You Go....

Dispersed Camping

Many people enjoy the solitude of camping away from developed campgrounds. Follow these guidelines to ensure that these areas can be enjoyed by future generations:

- Choose sites that are already established.
- Camp at least 100 feet away from water sources.
- Use existing fire rings or camp stoves.
- Check current fire conditions.
- Dispose of human waste properly (away from water and in a 6" or deeper hole).

Hunting

Most public land is open to hunting and shooting. Help keep it open by reporting trash and vandalism. For more information, contact the Idaho Department of Fish and Game at 208-334-3700 or visit the website: <http://fishandgame.idaho.gov>.

Boating

Zebra and quagga mussels attach to boats, bait buckets and other gear, then spread in waters where they can destroy fish habitat and clog public water pipes. Help stop the spread of invasive aquatic species by following these steps:

- Boaters are required to purchase an Idaho Invasive Species Fund (IISF) sticker prior to launching their vessel.
- Drain the ballast tanks, bilge, livewells and motor. Dry (7 days summer; 18 days spring/fall; and 30 days winter) or freeze (3 days).

Noxious Weeds

Noxious weeds can rapidly displace native plant species that provide food for wildlife and livestock. Here's how you can prevent the spread of noxious weeds:

- Wash your vehicle, including the undercarriage to remove any weed seed before driving to public lands.
- Use weed-free hay when riding on or packing in with horses.



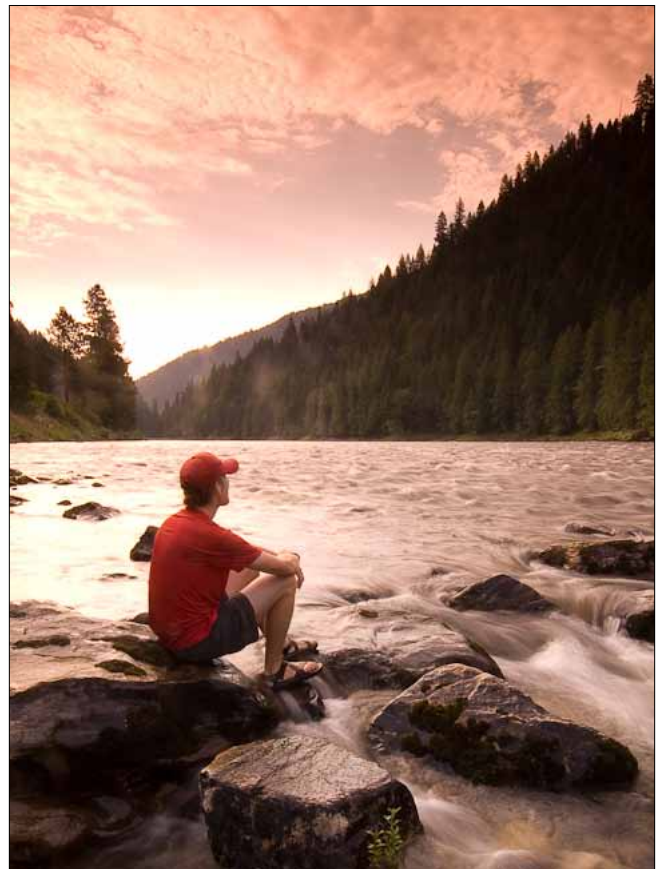
Travel responsibly on land by staying on designated roads, trails and areas.

Respect the rights of others, including private property owners and fellow recreationists.

Educate and prepare yourself prior to your trip by obtaining proper equipment, compasses and travel maps. Learn about local regulations from public agencies. Alert friends and family about travel intentions. Always be prepared for changing weather conditions.

Avoid sensitive areas on land such as meadows, lakeshores, wetlands and streams.

Do your part by modeling appropriate behavior by leaving the area better than you found it. *Pack It In, Pack It Out*, clean up after yourself and do not leave trash behind.



Contact Us

Four BLM district offices, 12 field offices, and the Idaho State Office administer the public lands in Idaho. For more information, please reference the colors below throughout the booklet and on the associated maps.

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**Four Rivers Field Office/
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Phone: 208-384-3300

Owyhee Field Office
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Phone: 208-896-5912

Northern Idaho

Coeur d'Alene Field Office
3815 Schreiber Way
Coeur d'Alene, ID 83815
Phone: 208-769-5000

Cottonwood Field Office
1 Butte Drive
Cottonwood, ID 83522
Phone: 208-962-3245

Eastern Idaho

Challis Field Office
1151 Blue Mountain Road
Challis, ID 83226
Phone: 208-879-6200

Pocatello Field Office
4350 Cliffs Drive
Pocatello, ID 83204
Phone: 208-478-6340

Salmon Field Office

1206 South Challis Street
Salmon, ID 83467
Phone: 208-756-5400

Upper Snake Field Office

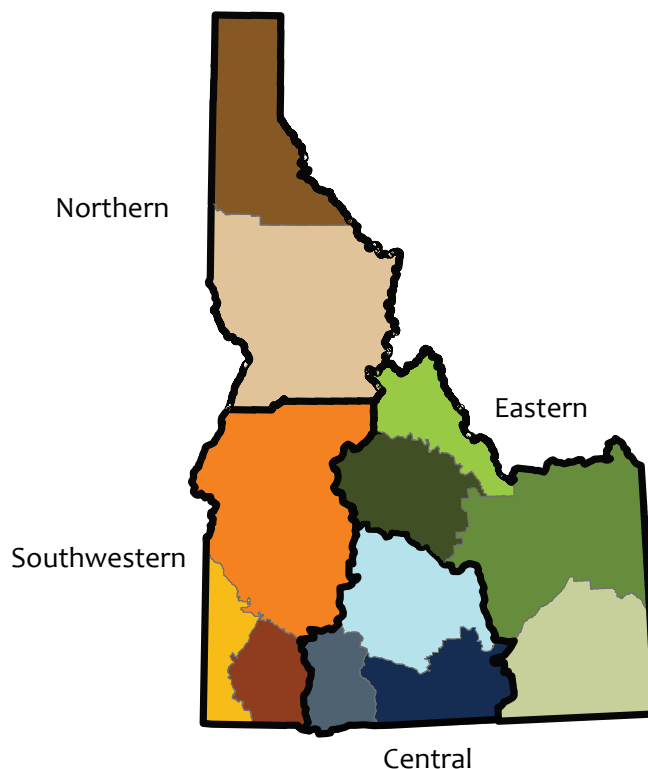
1405 Hollipark Drive
Idaho Falls, ID 83401
Phone: 208-524-7500

Central Idaho

Burley Field Office
15 East 200 South
Burley, ID 83318
Phone: 208-677-6600

Jarbridge Field Office
2536 Kimberly Road
Twin Falls, ID 83301
Phone: 208-735-2060

**Shoshone Field Office/
Craters of the Moon National Monument**
400 West "F" Street
Shoshone, ID 83352
Phone: 208-732-7200



Map Legend

Please reference the following legend for maps throughout the booklet.

Recreation Site and General BLM Management Area

Southwestern Idaho

- # Bruneau Field Office
- # Four Rivers Field Office
- # Morley Nelson Snake River Birds of Prey NCA
- # Owyhee Field Office

Northern Idaho

- # Coeur d' Alene Field Office
- # Cottonwood Field Office

Eastern Idaho

- # Challis Field Office
- # Pocatello Field Office
- # Salmon Field Office
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Central Idaho

- # Burley Field Office
- # Jarbidge Field Office
- Shoshone Field Office/
Craters of the Moon NCA

Land Status Managing Agency

- Bureau of Land Management
- Private
- US Forest Service
- State of Idaho
- State of Idaho Fish & Game;
State of Idaho Parks & Rec
- Bureau of Reclamation
- Corps of Engineers
- Military Reservations and
Corps of Engineers
- Indian Reservation
- Military Land
- National Park Service
- National Wildlife Refuge
- Bankhead-Jones LU Lands
(Admin by Acquiring Agency)
- National Grasslands
(Admin by USFS)

Map Symbols

- Designated Wilderness Area
- National Wild and Scenic River
- Special Management Area
- County Boundary
- Interstate Highway
- US Highway
- State Highway

Note: Roads partly revised 2011

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Boating the Payette River



Local student illustration depicting "favorite activity on public lands." Don't miss more student illustrations on the back of the statewide map.

Southwestern Idaho: Bruneau Field Office

Some of the most spectacular and untouched high desert landscapes in the United States can be found here. From the sweeping plateaus and towering canyons of the Owyhee Canyonlands and the solitude of the Big and Little Jacks Creek Wilderness Areas, to the excellent wildlife viewing along the Owyhee Uplands Backcountry Byway, memorable vistas and experiences are around each turn.

Three wilderness areas including the Big Jacks Creek Wilderness, Little Jacks Creek Wilderness, and the Bruneau-Jarbridge River Wilderness are located in this region. The waterways through much of these wilderness areas are also designated as Wild & Scenic Rivers.

The spectacular Owyhee, Deep Creek, Bruneau and Jarbridge Rivers are floatable in the spring, but are only recommended for experienced and well-prepared boaters. These remote rivers have difficult put-in and take-out locations (especially in bad weather) and have challenging Class II - V whitewater with difficult portages. A waterproof river guide is available from the BLM.

Visitors to this area can also enjoy bird watching, camping, big game and upland bird hunting, hiking, motorized recreation, horseback riding and driving for pleasure.

The only developed recreation spot in this region is Poison Creek picnic site. This site has tables, grills, fire grates, one vault toilet, shaded areas and a small trail.

The Owyhee Uplands Back Country Byway, also called Mud Flat Road, is a scenic driving route across the Owyhee Plateau and Canyonlands. Traversing 92 miles in Idaho and 12 in Oregon, the Byway allows visitors to explore different vegetative zones, including juniper and mahogany stands and sagebrush and aspen-covered plateaus.

Take proper precautions when visiting this harsh, remote environment. Cell phone

coverage is unlikely. To ensure a safe trip and return, be prepared with proper equipment, maps, compasses, clothing and knowledge of the general area and weather conditions.

Wilderness areas and wild and scenic rivers are part of the BLM's National Landscape Conservation System, which serves to protect and conserve special places on public lands.

Help care for and protect this fragile environment for current and future generations by *leaving no trace* and *packing out what you pack in*. Decrease the chance of contaminating the water supply and minimize wildlife disturbance by camping at least 200 feet from streams.





Exploring the area on bikes
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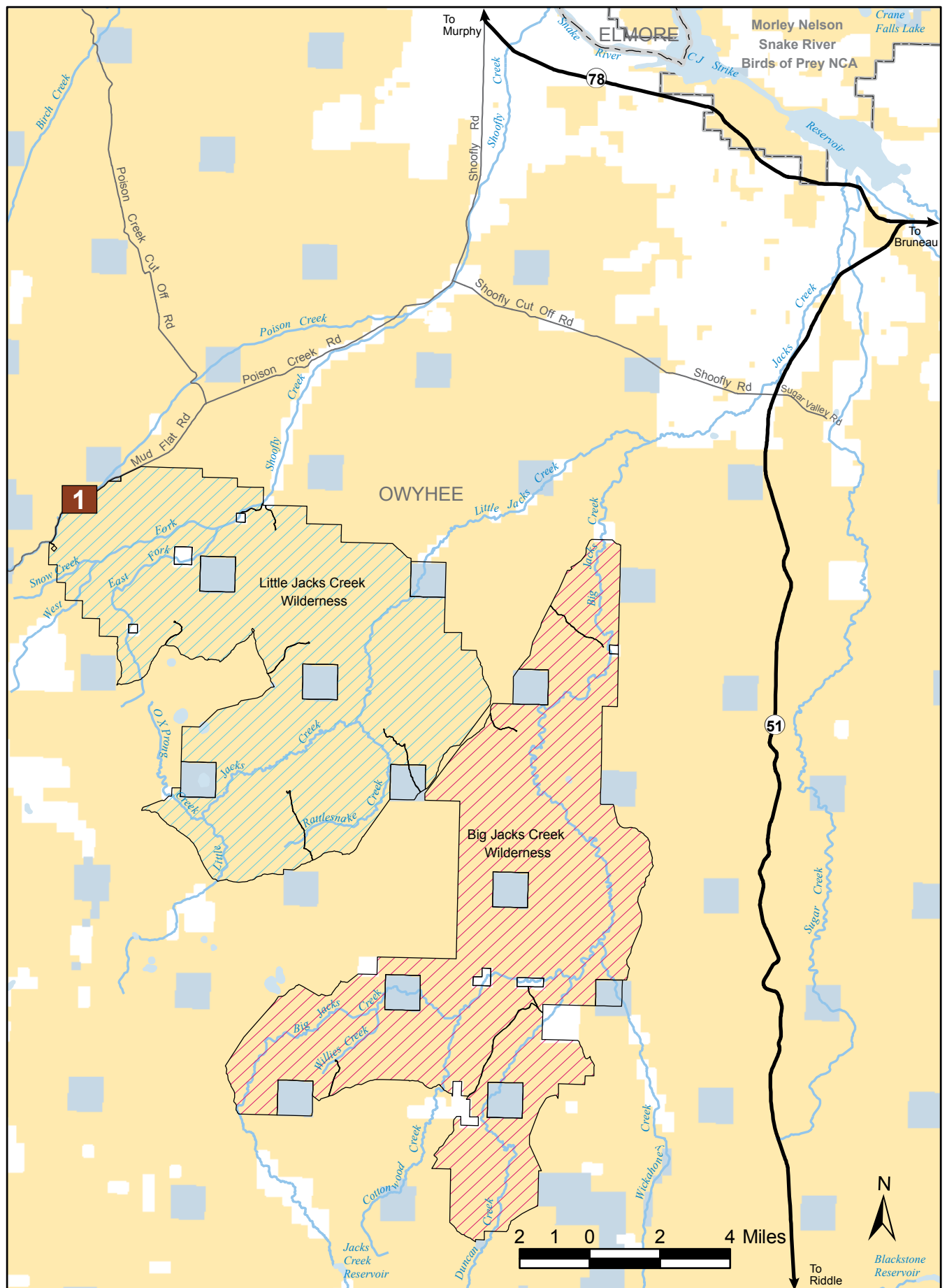


Battle Creek Wild and Scenic River

| Bruneau Field Office | Recreation Site No. # | Elevation (feet) E | Day Use Only A | Fees \$ | No. Camp Sites* A | No. Group Sites G | Day-Use Shelters A | Accessibility A | Drinking Water A | Toilets A | RV Dump Station A | RV Hookups A | Boat Access A | Boat Ramp A | Fishing A | OHV Trailheads A | Hiking A | Biking A | Interpretation A |
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| Poison Creek Picnic Site | 1 | 4478 | | | 4 | | | | | ● | | | | | | | ● | | |
| RV = Recreational vehicle OHV = Off-highway vehicle *Designated campsites have fire grill and table | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |



East Fork of the Owyhee River
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Southwestern Idaho: Four Rivers Field Office

This region is the backyard of Idaho's largest city (Boise), yet offers easy access to unspoiled destinations for outdoor adventure.

The 130-mile Ridge to Rivers Trail System offers hikers, bikers and wildlife viewers plenty of trails to explore. Seven miles up Eighth Street from Boise's North End, the three-mile Hulls Gulch National Recreation Trail offers a quiet escape from the city and interpretive signs teach visitors about the unique natural history of the Boise Foothills.

In the mid-1800s, thousands of pioneers followed the Oregon Trail 2,000 miles from Missouri to Oregon in search of a better life. Located southeast of Boise, the 135-mile stretch of the Oregon National Historic Trail, can be experienced from a car or explored on foot. Original wagon wheel ruts are visible today on the North Trail and Sinker Creek segments.

At Bonneville Point, visitors can stand in the

same spot where Captain Benjamin Bonneville and his expedition party overlooked the valley he named Les Bois, site of the city that today bears the same name — Boise. The site is also an access point for the Oregon Trail and a place to hike, picnic, geocache and view wildlife.

The Payette River offers opportunities for recreationists of all skill levels to kayak, canoe and fish. Motorized and non-motorized boating are allowed and rafting enthusiasts can expect rapids of varying difficulties. Local outfitters offer half and full day trips of this scenic river.

Brownlee Reservoir is a popular fishing location known for its great catfish, crappie and small mouth bass. Fishermen can set-up camp and launch their fishing boats at Steck Park campground. Steck Park, located at the southern end of the 56-mile-long reservoir, offers access to Brownlee Reservoir along the Snake River from the Idaho side of Hell's Canyon.





Boise Whitewater Festival



Little Gem motorcycle park



Hulls Gulch National Recreation Trail

| Four Rivers Field Office | | Recreation Site No. | Elevation (feet) | Day Use Only | Fees | No. Camp Sites* | No. Group Sites | Day-Use Shelters | Accessibility | Drinking Water | Toilets | RV Dump Station | RV Hookups | Boat Access | Boat Ramp | Fishing | OHV Trailheads | Hiking | Biking | Interpretation |
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| Bonneville Point | | 2 | 3865 | ● | | | | ● | | | | | | | | | | ● | ● | ● |
| Clay Peak | | 3 | 2214 | | | | | | | | ● | | | | | | ● | | | |
| Ridge to Rivers Trails | 8th Street Trail | 4 | 3800 | | | | | | | | ● | | | | | | ● | ● | ● | ● |
| | Lower Hulls Gulch | 5 | 3900 | ● | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ● | | ● |
| | Upper Hulls Gulch | 6 | 4747 | ● | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ● | | ● |
| | Miller Gulch | 7 | 3326 | | | | | | | | ● | | | | | | | ● | ● | ● |
| Little Gem | | 8 | 2900 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ● | | | ● |
| North Fork | | 9 | 4832 | ● | | | | | | | | | | ● | | ● | | | | |
| Payette River System | Banks Access | 10 | 2820 | ● | ● | | | | ● | | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| | Beehive Bend | 11 | 2726 | ● | ● | | | | | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | | | ● |
| | Chief Parrish | 12 | 2755 | ● | ● | | | | ● | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | | | |
| | Confluence | 13 | 2801 | ● | ● | | | | | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | | | |
| | Deer Creek | 14 | 2979 | ● | ● | | | | | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | | | |
| | South Fork | 15 | 3116 | | | P | P | | | | | | | | | ● | | | | |
| Steck Park | | 16 | 2112 | | ● | 21 | | ● | | ● | ● | ● | W | ● | ● | ● | | | | ● |
| Weiser Dunes | | 17 | 2132 | | | | | | | | ● | | | | | | ● | | | |

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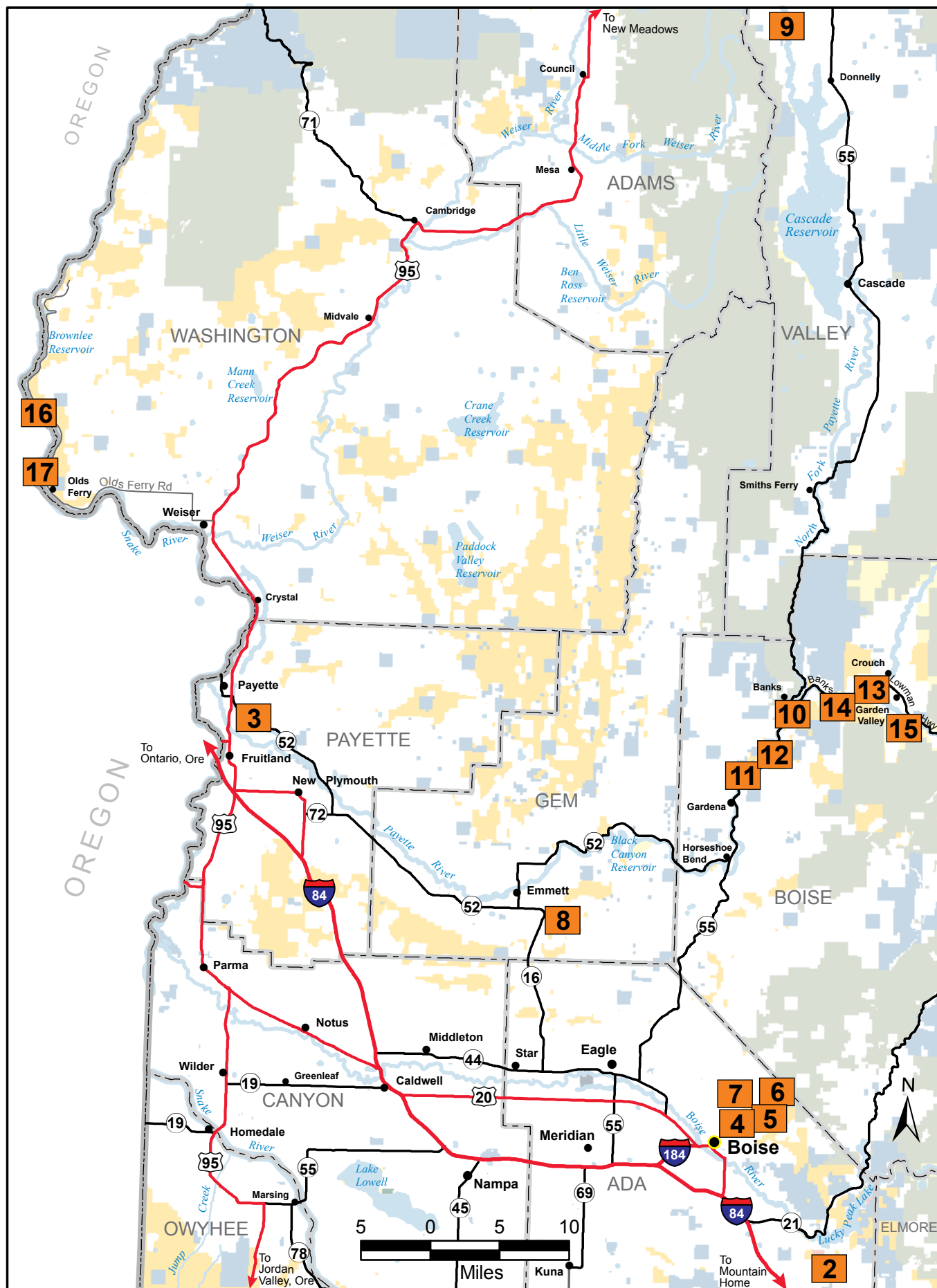
OHV = Off-highway vehicle

P = Primitive Camping - No designated sites; Fire ring may be available

*Designated campsites have fire grill and table

W=Water

Boat Access= Non-motorized; Boat Ramp= Concrete ramp for motorized access



Southwestern Idaho: Morley Nelson Snake River Birds of Prey National Conservation Area

This area's spectacular, vast and unique landscape supports one of the world's densest concentrations of nesting birds of prey. Congress established the Morley Nelson Snake River Birds of Prey National Conservation Area (NCA) in 1993 to help recognize and protect the area's wildlife values. This 485,000-acre area hosts about 800 pairs of falcons, eagles, hawks and owls that arrive each spring to mate and raise their young.

In addition to outstanding bird and wildlife viewing, this area hosts various recreational opportunities. Visitors can sightsee, ride on horseback, hike, hunt, mountain bike, picnic and camp. The NCA is one of the many units within the BLM's National Landscape Conservation System which serves to protect and conserve special places on public lands.

Catch a glimpse of the area's birds of prey at Dedication Point, a spectacular overlook on the rim of the Snake River Canyon. A ¼-mile trail with interpretive signs offers insights about the birds, geology and other wildlife.

Experience the magnificence of this area from the waters and shorelines of Cove Recreation

Site. This is a popular area to fish, hike, view wildlife, boat (motorized and non-motorized), waterski, swim and picnic. About one mile east of the dam, day-use and overnight camping facilities are available on the south shore of C.J. Strike Reservoir.

Halverson Lake is nestled along the canyon wall with opportunities for all types of outdoor adventure, as well as cultural education. During a visit to Halverson Lake, visitors can also check out Celebration Park to learn about the history of Native Americans who still use this area.

Spring and fall weather conditions in sheltered canyon areas average 5-10 °F warmer than temperatures in nearby Boise. This makes recreation outdoors possible in the late winter, spring and fall when many higher-elevation recreation areas are still affected by weather.

A visitor guide containing general maps of the NCA, raptor viewing information, shooting regulations/information and recreational opportunities is available from the BLM.



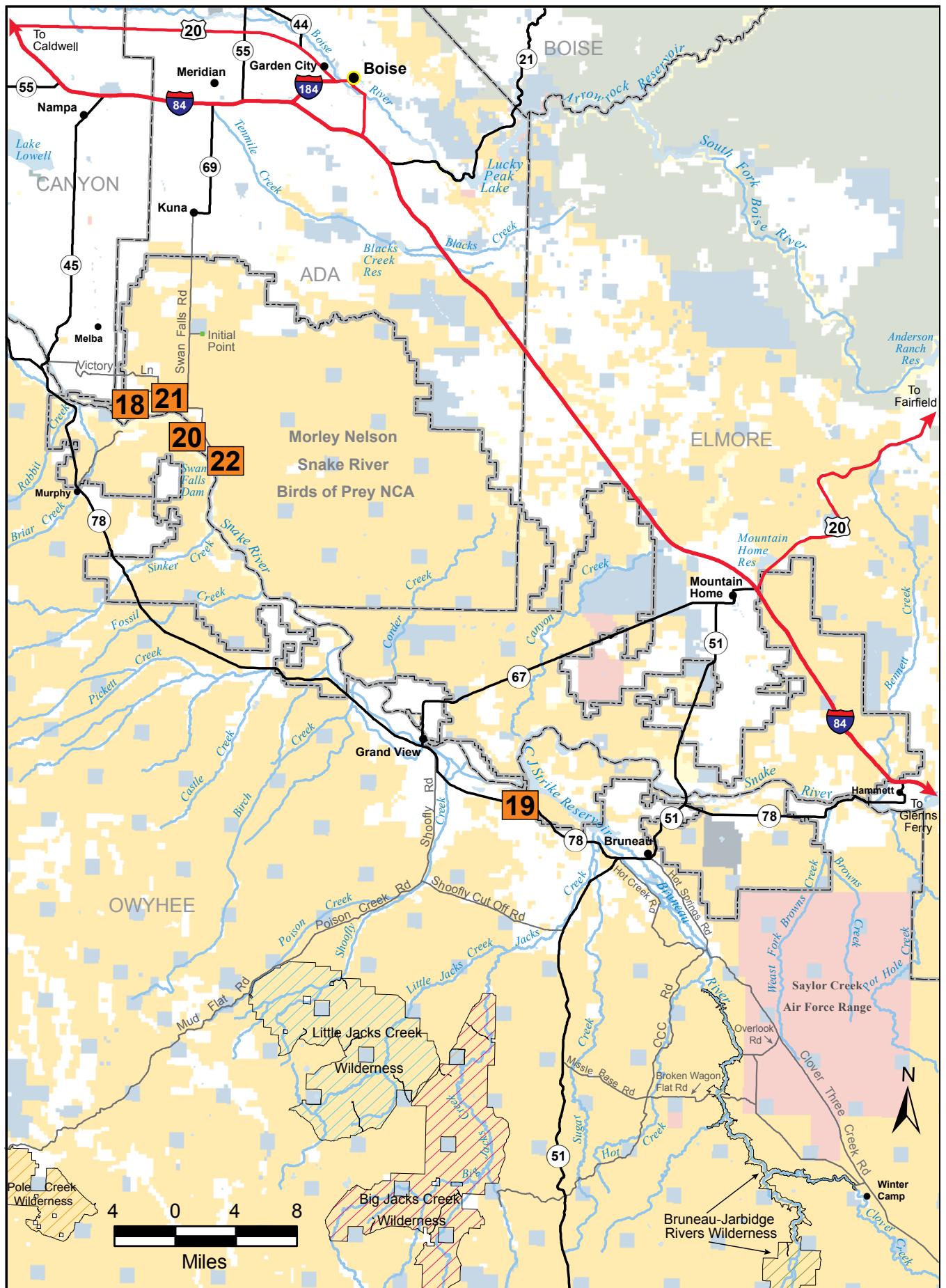


Morley Nelson Snake River Birds of Prey Area
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| Morley Nelson Snake River Birds of Prey National Conservation Area | Recreation Site No. | Elevation (feet) | Day Use Only | Fees | No. Camp Sites* | No. Group Sites | Day-Use Shelters | Accessibility | Drinking Water | Toilets | RV Dump Station | RV Hookups | Boat Access | Boat Ramp | Fishing | OHV Trailheads | Hiking | Biking | Interpretation |
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| Celebration Park | 18 | 2362 | | ● | P | | | | ● | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | ● | | ● |
| Cove at CJ Strike Reservoir | 19 | 2500 | | ● | 26 | 1 | ● | | ● | ● | ● | | ● | ● | ● | | ● | | |
| Dedication Point | 20 | 2877 | | | | | ● | | | ● | | | | | | | ● | | ● |
| Halverson Bar/ Lake | 21 | 2329 | | | | | | | | | | | | | ● | | ● | ● | ● |
| Swan Falls Area | 22 | 2309 | | | P | | | | | ● | | | | | ● | | ● | ● | |
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Southwestern Idaho: Owyhee Field Office

From the sheer rock cliffs and magnificent plateaus of the Owyhee Canyonlands, to the scenery and wildlife viewing available along the Owyhee Uplands Backcountry Byway, the southwest corner of Idaho is a special place to visit. Visitors will find plenty of opportunities to explore, find solitude, and experience some of nature's most wild places in this remote, rugged country. The area includes two wilderness areas and multiple sections of wild and scenic rivers.

The Owyhee Uplands Backcountry Byway represents high desert scenery at its finest. Along the route, visitors are treated to views of the surrounding sagebrush-steppe ecosystem that provides habitat for over 180 species of birds and mammals. Scenic geologic formations, composed of volcanic rock deposited 8-12 million years ago, are also present in this area.

For off-highway vehicle (OHV) enthusiasts, this area features three popular trailheads along the Owyhee Front. Trails include single tracks for motorcycles and wider trails and two-tracks for all terrain vehicles (ATVs) and other motorized vehicles.

Plenty of non-motorized adventures are also available. Hikers who travel ¼ mile to Jump

Creek Falls will discover a lush riparian community filled with waterbirch and red osier dogwood trees.

History comes alive at the Silver City campground, located in a partially restored 19th century mining town in the Owyhee Mountains.

The Owyhee River System, sometimes called the "Grand Canyon of the Owyhee," is famous for its deep canyons, steep cliffs, turbulent whitewater, brilliant wildflowers and abundant wildlife. Golden eagles, falcons, hawks, bighorn sheep and deer all call this area home. Much of the Owyhee River and its tributaries are designated as wild and scenic rivers and nearly 70 miles of the river, upstream from the Idaho-Oregon border, is within the Owyhee River Wilderness area.

These designations protect the unique character of this area and make it part of the BLM's National Landscape Conservation System, which serves to protect and conserve special places on public lands.

Rafting and kayaking the Owyhee with its Class II - V whitewater is popular in the spring during higher water flows. Low water float trips are also possible in smaller craft.



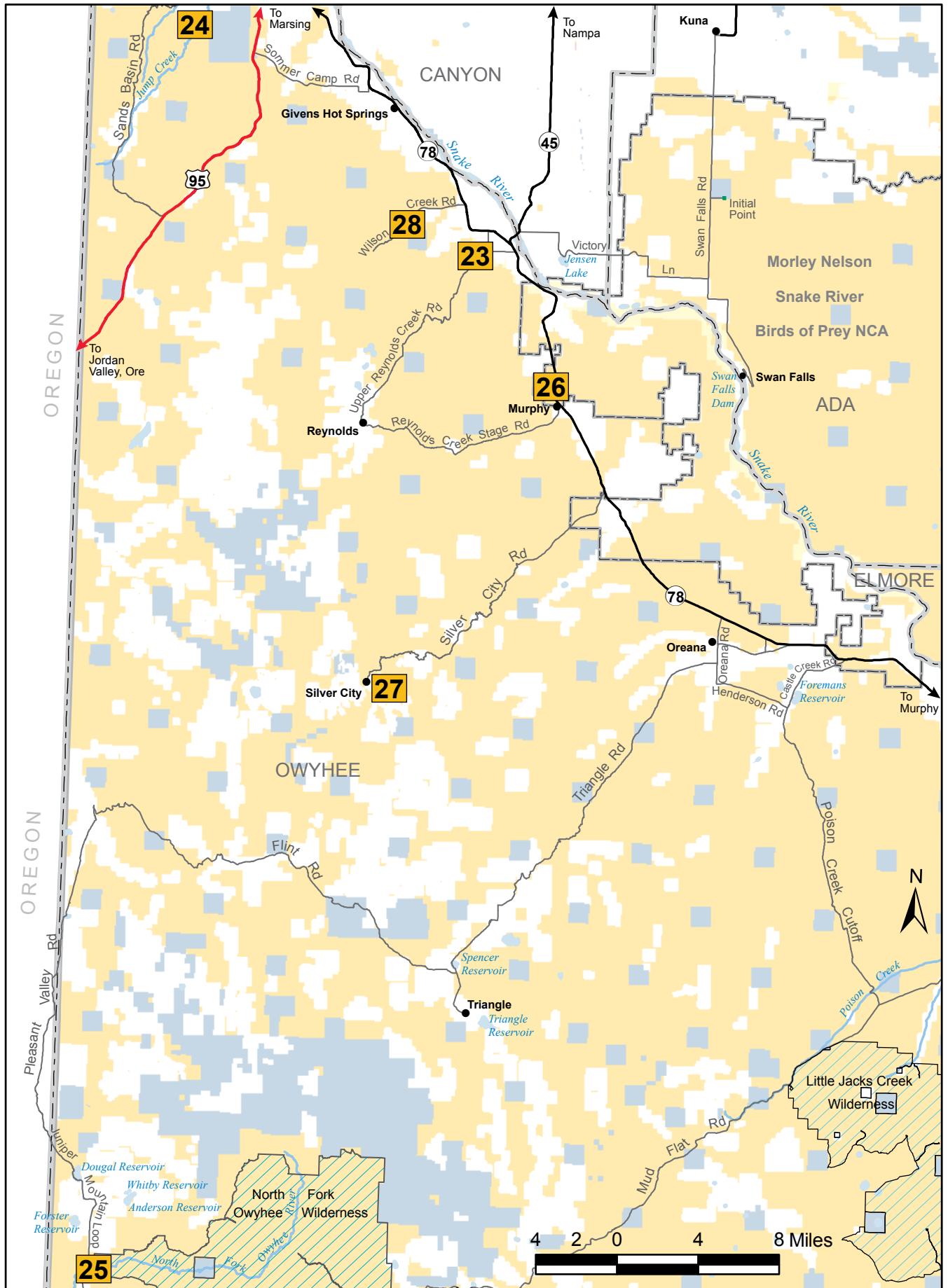


Owyhee Wilderness
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| Hemingway Butte | 23 | 2480 | | | | | | | | ● | | | | | | ● | | | |
| Jump Creek | 24 | 2650 | ● | | | | | | | ● | | | | | | | ● | | ● |
| North Fork | 25 | 4763 | | | 7 | | | | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | | | |
| Rabbit Creek | 26 | 2772 | | | | | | | | ● | | | | | | ● | | | |
| Silver City | 27 | 6161 | | | 6 | | | | | ● | | | | | | | ● | | ● |
| Wilson Creek | 28 | 2762 | | | | | | | | ● | | | | | | | ● | ● | |
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Northern Idaho: Coeur d' Alene Field Office

This “gem of the north” is not only valued by locals, but also by visitors for its beautiful scenery, recreational opportunities and variety of amenities. This serene, scenic area is also the perfect spot to escape crowds and be physically active on public lands.

Beautiful Lake Coeur d'Alene offers outstanding fishing, hiking, boating and nature viewing. Three boat launch sites are available at Blackwell Island, Mineral Ridge and Killarney Lake. Overnight boating guests will enjoy three boat-in campgrounds at Popcorn Island, Mica Bay and Windy Bay Boater Parks.

Hiking in this area is a popular way to view spectacular vistas of Lake Coeur d' Alene. The 3.3-mile Mineral Ridge National Recreation Trail is an invigorating and educational hike. As visitors meander down this trail, they will learn about forest plants, animals and their interrelationships at 22 stations. The Beauty

Bay recreation site offers a short half-mile trail with commanding views and a nice picnic area.

Wildlife viewing is an attraction to this region. Each winter from November through February, a migrating population of up to 150 bald eagles visits the area to feed on spawning kokanee salmon.

The St. Joe River is a popular fly fishing and elk hunting destination. Overnight guests can stay at Huckleberry Campground, the only full-service RV campground on this stretch of the river. During the summer, visitors enjoy swimming, rafting, canoeing and tubing here.

Check out the lake views from the comfort of a car on the beautiful Lake Coeur d'Alene Scenic Byway. Glorious views of lakes and mountains are around every curve on this scenic tour of the countryside.



Eagle at Lake Coeur d' Alene



Eagle watch at Lake Coeur d' Alene



Blackwell Island



Blue Creek Bay

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| Beauty Bay | 29 | 2575 | ● | | | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | | | | ● | | |
| Blackwell Island | 30 | 2142 | ● | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | ● | ● | ● |
| Blue Creek Bay | 31 | 2148 | ● | | | | | ● | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | ● | | |
| Blue Creek Trail | 32 | 2162 | ● | | | | | ● | | ● | | | | | | | ● | ● | ● |
| Crater Lake ¹ | 33 | 6250 | | | P | | | | | ● | | | | | ● | | | | |
| Crater Peak ¹ | 34 | 6345 | | | P | | | | | ● | | | | | | | | | |
| Gamlin Lake | 35 | 2112 | ● | | | | | | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | ● | ● | |
| Huckleberry Campground | 36 | 2247 | | ● | 30 | 3 | | ● | ● | ● | ● | WE | ● | | ● | | | | |
| Killarney Lake Boat Launch | 38 | 2148 | | ● | 12 | | | ● | ● | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| Killarney Lake Picnic Site | 39 | 2230 | | | 2 | | | | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | | | |
| Mica Bay Boater Park** | 40 | 2132 | | ● | 16 | | ● | ● | ● | ● | | | ● | | ● | | | | |
| Mineral Ridge Boat Launch | 41 | 2139 | ● | ● | | | | ● | | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| Mineral Ridge Scenic Area/ National Recreation Trail | 42 | 2152 | ● | | | | ● | ● | ● | ● | | | | | | | ● | ● | ● |
| Orphan Point Saddle ¹ | 43 | 5912 | | | P | | | | | ● | | | | | | | ● | ● | |
| Popcorn Island** | 44 | 2129 | | | 2 | | | | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | | | |
| Sheep Springs ¹ | 45 | 5442 | | | P | | | | | ● | | | | | | | ● | | |
| Tingley Springs ¹ | 46 | 5055 | | | P | | | | | ● | | | | | | | ● | | |
| Windy Bay Boater Park** | 47 | 2132 | | ● | 14 | | | | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | | | |

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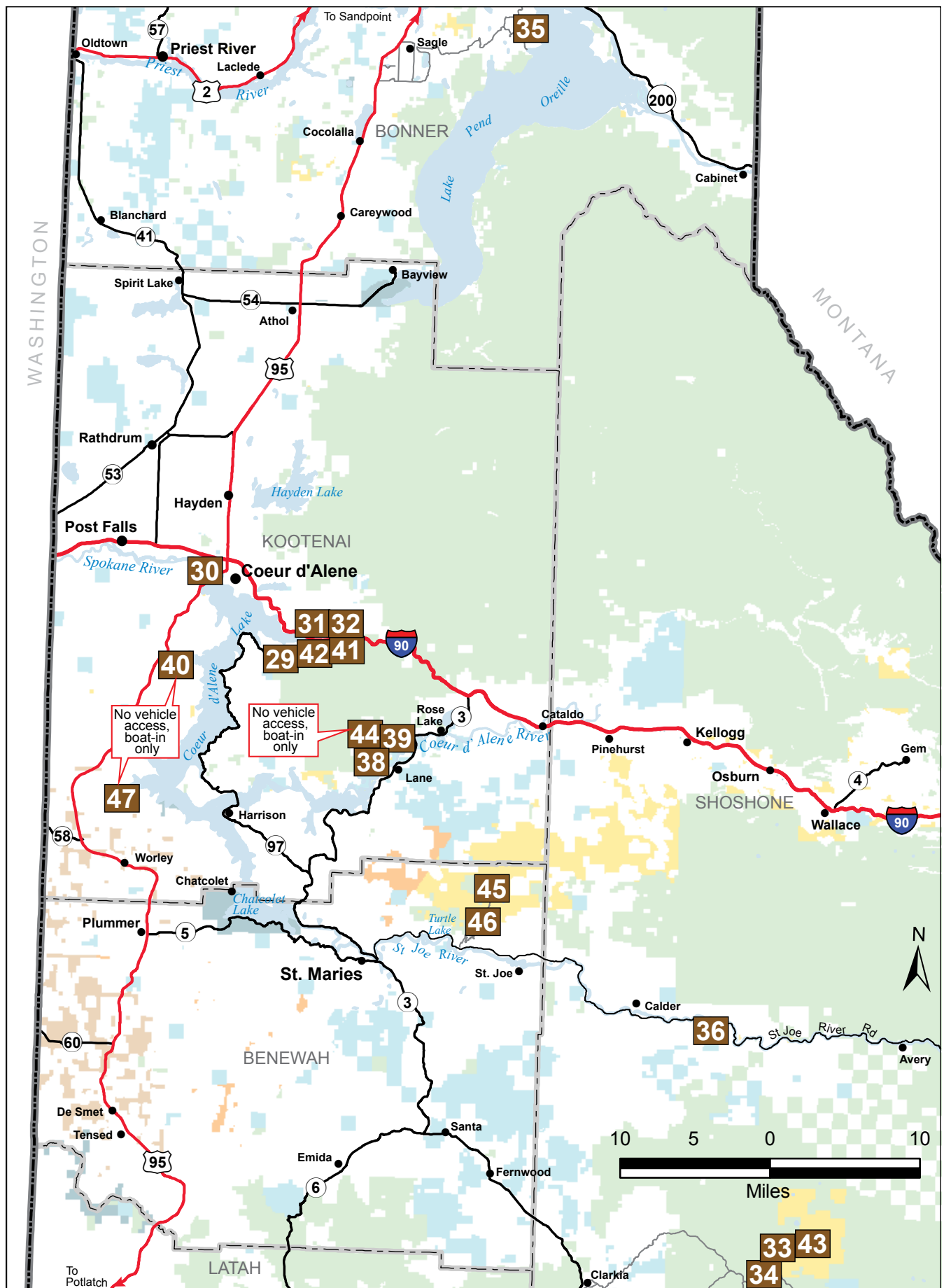
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Northern Idaho: Cottonwood Field Office

Encompassing many scenic and cultural landscapes, this impressive area includes the Lower Salmon River and segments of the Nez Perce National Historic Trail and the Lewis and Clark Historic Trail. These trails offer a glimpse into the past. Take some time to explore and learn more about our nation's history by following portions of these two trails.

Recreation is centered around the Salmon and Clearwater Rivers. Both rivers offer outstanding steelhead and salmon fishing and have plenty of river access points popular for swimming, boating, camping, fishing and big game hunting.

Dubbed by early explorers as the “river of no return,” the Salmon River not only offers a diversity of recreational opportunities, but the chance to view spectacular beauty along one of the longest completely free-flowing rivers in the lower 48 states. From the diverse landscapes of narrow basalt gorges to the exciting rapids that plunge through its depths, the Salmon River's beauty is unmistakable. Numerous

white, sandy beaches on both sides of the river offer opportunities for camping and fishing. Plenty of ramps and access points are available for both motorized and non-motorized boating opportunities.

Please respect this area by following all boating regulations and river ethics to ensure that the area remains pristine for all future visitors.

Planning a trip to this area? Numerous publications, including a Lower Salmon River Guide, river maps and environmental ethics brochures are available from the BLM.





Lower Salmon River camping
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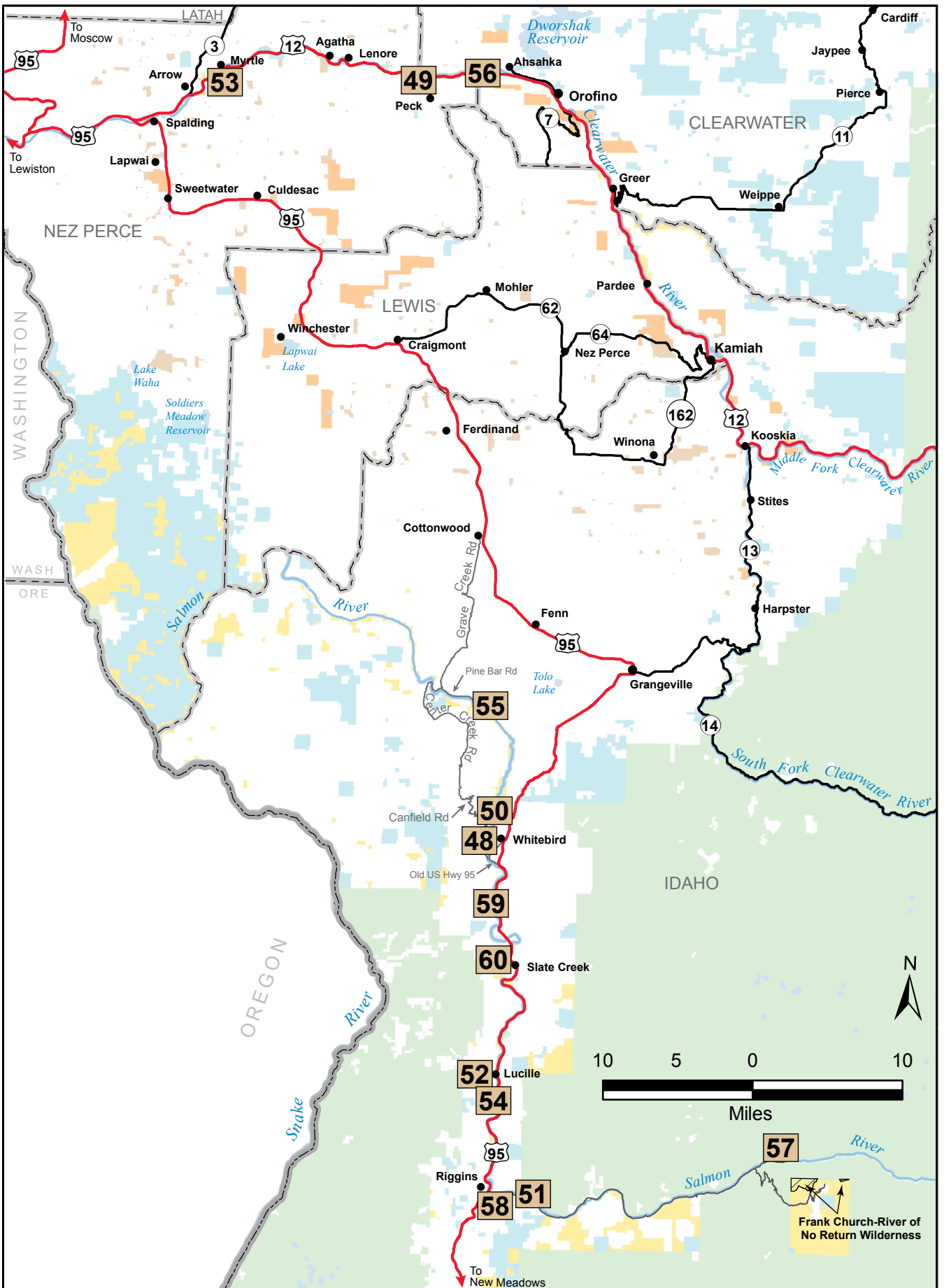


Salmon River rapids

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| Hammer Creek | 48 | 1438 | | ● | 12 | | | ● | ● | ● | ● | | ● | ● | ● | | | | ● |
| Harper's Bend | 49 | 951 | ● | | | | | ● | | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| White Bird | 50 | 1458 | ● | | | | | | | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| Island Bar | 51 | 1750 | | | P | | | | | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| Lucile | 52 | 1626 | ● | | | | | ● | ● | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| McKay's Bend | 53 | 849 | | ● | 18 | | ● | ● | ● | ● | | F | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| Old Lucile | 54 | 1650 | ● | | | | | | | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| Pine Bar | 55 | 1361 | | ● | 6 | | | ● | ● | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| Pink House | 56 | 984 | | ● | 18 | | ● | ● | ● | ● | | F | ● | ● | ● | | | | ● |
| Salmon River (Vinegar Creek to Confluence with Snake River) | 57 | 2015 | | | P | | | | | | | | ● | | ● | | | | ● |
| Shorts Bar | 58 | 1727 | | | P | | | | | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| Skookumchuck | 59 | 1500 | ● | | | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | ● | ● | | | | |
| Slate Creek | 60 | 1601 | | ● | 6 | | ● | ● | ● | ● | ● | | ● | ● | ● | | | | |

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Eastern Idaho: Challis Field Office

This area's remote and beautiful expanses of land, towering mountains and scenic rivers are the backdrop for a variety of outdoor recreation opportunities. Most recreation centers on the East Fork of the Salmon River, the Main Salmon River and the Big Lost River System. The clear waters of the Salmon River Canyon offer outstanding steelhead and trout fishing. Other opportunities include Class I and II boating, big game hunting, nature viewing and camping along the river.

The popular camping destination of Joe T. Fallini Campground (formerly Mackay Reservoir Recreation Site) is the only recreational site in the area that offers full RV hookups. This scenic site has gorgeous views of the Lost River Range and offers boating in the summer and ice fishing in late winter.

History buffs will enjoy a visit to the ghost town of Bayhorse or learn about the unique mining history of the White Knob Mining District, one of the largest copper producers in Idaho. Take the self-guided Mackay Mine Hill Auto Tour to discover more about the area's past.

Hikers will enjoy exploring this spectacular area. The Lost River Access Trail includes a $\frac{3}{4}$ -mile trail designed for maximum accessibility (grade and slope) from the trailhead down to the Big Lost River. For those interested in a more arduous hike paired with a spectacular view of Mt. Caleb, another $\frac{3}{4}$ -mile hike is also available.

OHV riders will find a multitude of rides available in this area. These include the Jimmy Smith Trail, Pennal Gulch Trail, Bayhorse Mine Area, Snake Ridge Trail and the Lombard Trail.



Lost River Valley



Lost River Valley sheep



Lost River Valley



Challis biking

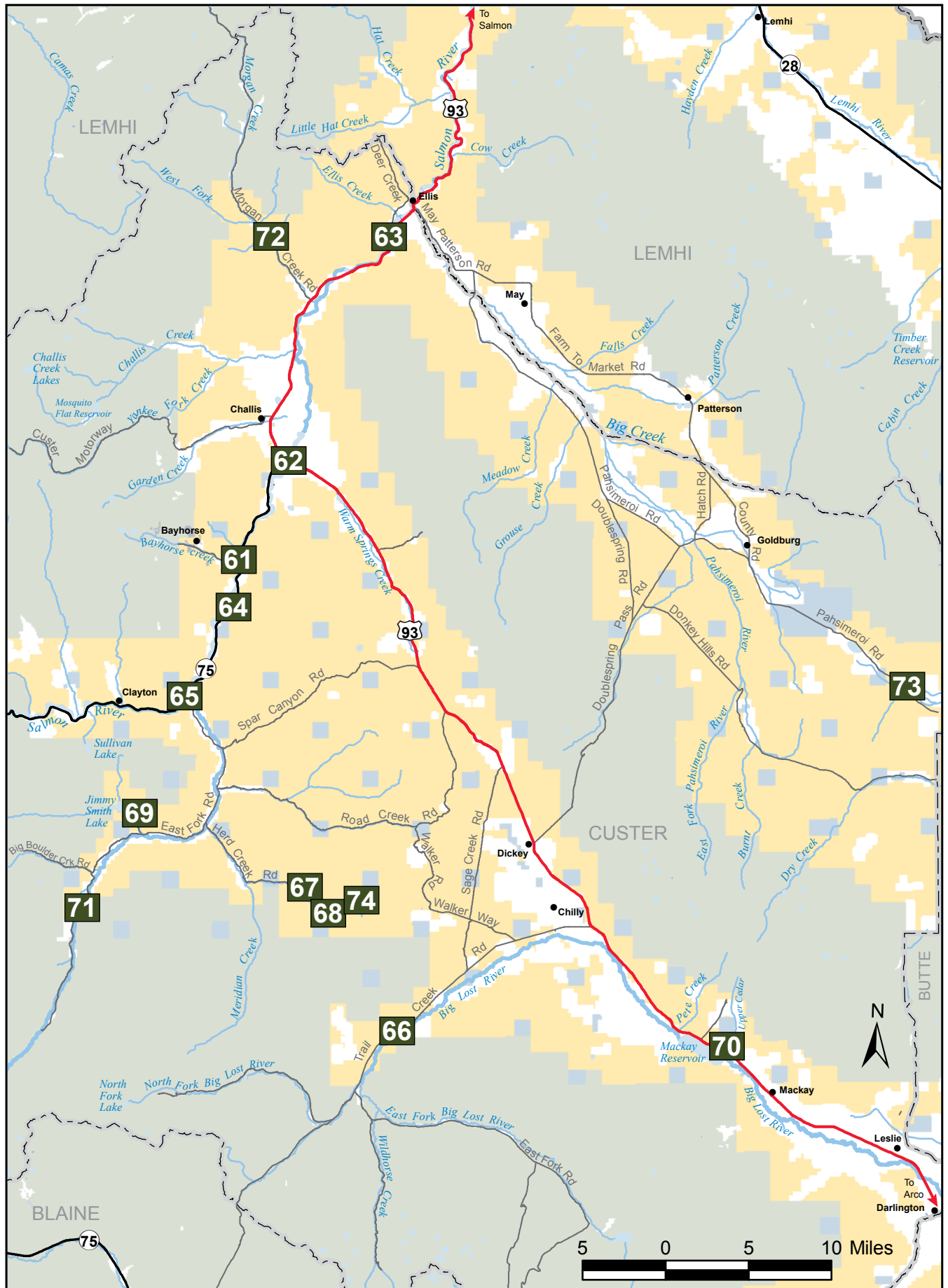


Lombard Trail

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| Bayhorse | 61 | 5150 | | ● | 11 | | | ● | ● | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | ● | | | ● |
| Challis Bridge | 62 | 5183 | ● | | | | | ● | | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | ● | | | ● |
| Cottonwood | 63 | 4806 | | ● | 15 | | ● | ● | ● | ● | ● | | ● | ● | ● | | | | ● |
| Deadman Hole | 64 | 5216 | | | 5 | | ● | ● | ● | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | ● |
| East Fork | 65 | 7155 | | ● | 10 | | | ● | ● | ● | | | ● | | ● | | | | ● |
| Garden Creek | 66 | 6745 | | | 5 | | | | | ● | | | | | ● | ● | ● | ● | |
| Herd Lake Campsite | 67 | 6981 | | | 1 | | | | | ● | | | | | ● | | ● | ● | |
| Herd Lake Overlook | 68 | 7198 | | | P | | | | | ● | | | | | ● | | ● | ● | ● |
| Jimmy Smith Trailhead | 69 | 6100 | | | P | | | | | ● | | | | | ● | ● | ● | ● | |
| Joe T. Fallini at Mackay | 70 | 6099 | | ● | 26 | 4 | ● | ● | ● | ● | ● | WE | ● | ● | ● | | ● | | ● |
| Little Boulder | 71 | 6200 | | | 3 | | | | ● | ● | | | | | ● | ● | ● | ● | |
| Morgan Creek | 72 | 5541 | | | 4 | | | | ● | ● | | | | | ● | ● | ● | ● | |
| Summit Creek | 73 | 6443 | | | P | | | | | ● | | | | | ● | ● | ● | ● | |
| Upper Lake Creek | 74 | 9090 | | | 2 | | | | | ● | | | | | | | ● | ● | |

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Eastern Idaho: Pocatello Field Office

Southeast Idaho landscape ranges from salt desert shrub to high elevation sub-alpine fir that supports unique plants and animals and provides an environment for different recreational opportunities. Visitors to this area will discover unique historical information and enjoy fishing, camping and off-highway vehicle (OHV) riding.

The Blackfoot River flows through a desert canyon of sagebrush and juniper habitat where visitors enjoy hiking and trout fishing. Anglers can set-up camp at one of five small campgrounds, lining the shores of the Blackfoot River. Wildlife viewers will enjoy the area's nesting golden eagles, prairie falcons, red-tailed hawks and great horned owls.

A range of floating opportunities is available along the Blackfoot River for boaters of all experience levels. The 10-mile stretch of river from Blackfoot Dam to Cutthroat Creek Campground hosts primarily Class I rapids, with one Class II section. The section from Cutthroat Trout Campground to Trail Creek Bridge includes 12 miles of Class II rapids. More advanced boaters will enjoy the 12-mile stretch from Trail Creek Bridge to Cedar Creek (near Aldridge) that hosts Class III-IV or IV-V rapids, depending on water levels.

Other floating and fishing opportunities can be found on the Portneuf and Bear Rivers.

Motorized and non-motorized boating and fishing can be found on the Snake River below American Falls Dam. The Blackfoot and Oneida Reservoirs host a large population of rainbow and cutthroat trout. A developed campground is located at each reservoir for avid fishermen and other water sports enthusiasts.

Visitors and local residents enjoy the convenience of outdoor adventures right in their backyard. Many recreation options can be found within an hour's drive of Pocatello. On the edge of town, visitors can explore 40 miles of designated routes on foot, mountain bike or off-highway vehicle (OHV) at the Chinese Peak - Blackrock Trail System. All travel via motorized vehicles and mountain bikes is limited to designated routes and from November 16 – April 15, a seasonal closure is in effect to protect important mule deer winter range. Horse and foot traffic (hiking, snow shoeing and cross-country skiing) is welcome year-round during the winter months.

To experience the history and scenery of this region, drive the Pioneer Scenic Byway or the Bear Lake Caribou Scenic Byway, or hike along the Oregon/California National Historic Trail.





Camping in Pocatello
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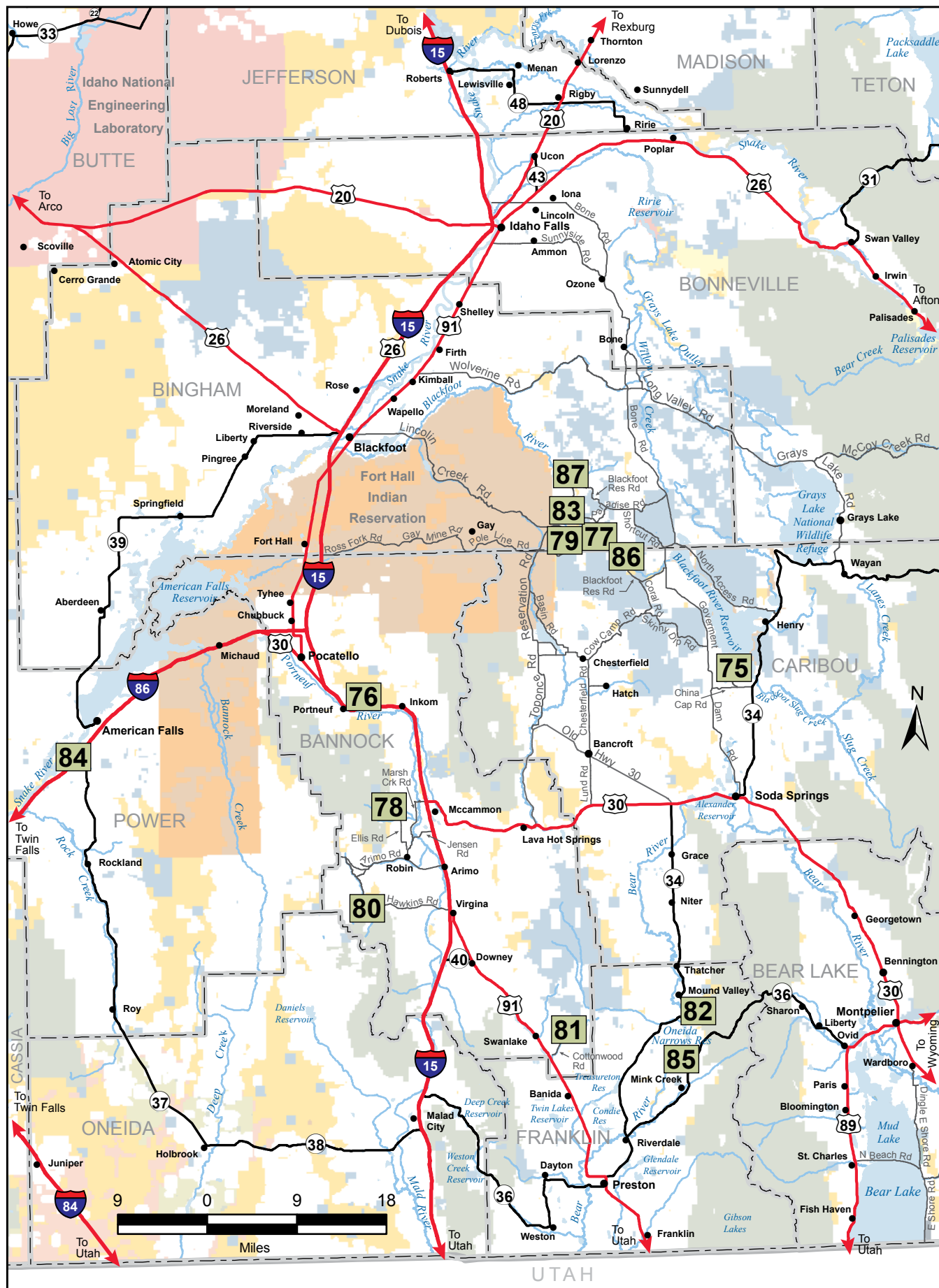
Rock climbing
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Winter snowshoeing
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| Blackfoot Reservoir | 75 | 6122 | | ● | 16 | | ● | ● | ● | ● | ● | E | ● | ● | ● | | | | ● |
| Blackrock Canyon | 76 | 4796 | | | | | ● | ● | | ● | | | | | | ● | | | ● |
| Cutthroat Trout | 77 | 5892 | | | 3 | | | | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | | | |
| Goodenough Creek | 78 | 6745 | | | 13 | | | | | ● | | | | | | ● | ● | ● | |
| Graves Creek | 79 | 5813 | | | 5 | | | | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | | | |
| Hawkins Reservoir | 80 | 5144 | | | 10 | | ● | ● | | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| Heart Mountain Springs | 81 | 5275 | | | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Maple Grove | 82 | 6250 | | ● | 12 | | | ● | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | | | |
| Morgan's Bridge | 83 | 5744 | | | 5 | | | | | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| Pipeline | 84 | 4268 | | | 8 | | | | | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| Redpoint | 85 | 6250 | | ● | 10 | | | ● | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | | | |
| Sage Hen Flat | 86 | 5898 | | | 5 | | | | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | | | |
| Trail Creek Bridge | 87 | 5482 | | | 6 | | | | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | | | |
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Eastern Idaho: Salmon Field Office

Spectacular scenery and great opportunities for adventure await visitors in this area. The Salmon River, “River of No Return,” provides world-class river rafting, camping, hiking, sight-seeing and wildlife viewing. The Salmon River, Bitterroot, and Lemhi ranges offer endless hiking, fishing, hunting and exploration opportunities.

Hikers and nature lovers will find scenic and rugged terrain in the isolated, often-overlooked Lemhi Range where elk, deer, mountain goats, moose and black bears are abundant.

The Salmon River meanders through the second-deepest gorge on the continent and is well-known as Idaho’s best steelhead fishing area, along with rainbow and cutthroat trout. Rafters will enjoy scenic floating and fishing along the calmer stretches of the river near the

town of Salmon, or tackle challenging whitewater (Class I-IV) on the stretch of river west of North Fork, Idaho.

The unspoiled 1.6-million acre Bitterroot Range and Continental Divide serve as Idaho’s eastern border. This area was visited by the Corps of Discovery’s Lewis and Clark in 1805. Today, visitors can stand on the Continental Divide National Scenic Trail and see the same expansive view that greeted the Corps of Discovery.

The Bitterroot Range is home to a variety of wildlife and offers spectacular trails for mountain biking and hiking. This is also the ultimate terrain for rock climbing, hunting and fishing excursions.





Piramide recreation site

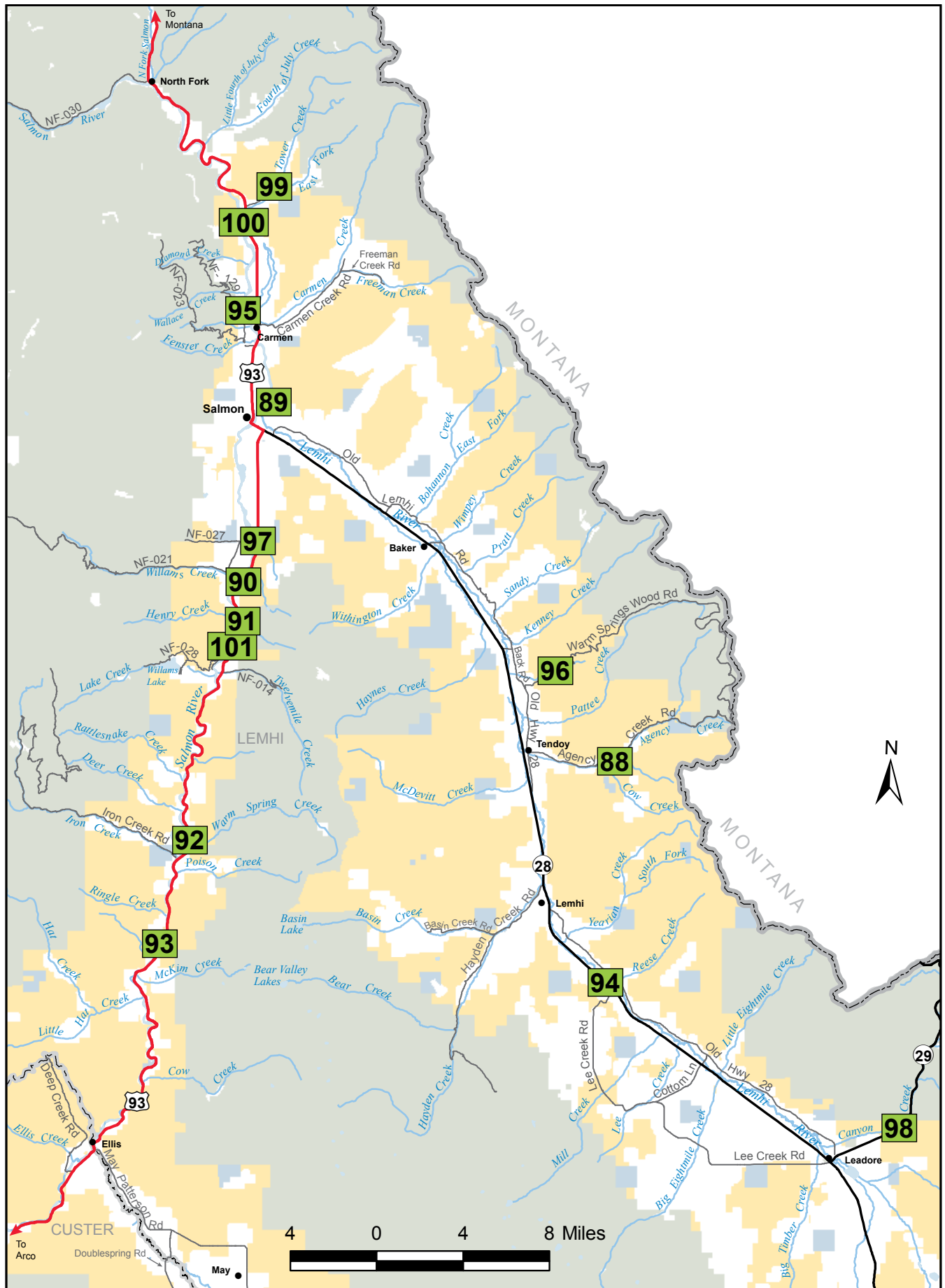


Tower Rock recreation site

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| Agency Creek | 88 | 5663 | | | P | | | | | ● | | | | | | ● | ● | ● | ● |
| Discovery Hill | 89 | 4222 | ● | | | | | | | ● | | | | | | | ● | ● | ● |
| Eight Mile | 90 | 4094 | ● | | | | | | | | | | | | ● | | | | |
| Eleven Mile | 91 | 4143 | ● | | | | | | | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| Goldbug Hot Springs | 92 | 4796 | ● | | | | | | | ● | | | | | | | ● | | |
| Kilpatrick | 93 | 4445 | ● | | P | | | | | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | ● |
| McFarland | 94 | 5374 | | ● | 5 | | | | ● | ● | | | | | ● | | | | |
| Morgan Bar | 95 | 3838 | | ● | 7 | | ● | | ● | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | ● | ● | ● |
| Sharkey Hot Springs | 96 | 5272 | ● | ● | | | | ● | | ● | | | | | | | | | |
| Shoup Bridge | 97 | 4032 | | ● | 5 | | | ● | ● | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | ● |
| Smokey Cubs | 98 | 6269 | | | 7 | 1 | | | ● | ● | | | | | ● | ● | ● | ● | ● |
| Tower Creek Pyramids | 99 | 4143 | ● | | | | | ● | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Tower Rock | 100 | 3789 | | ● | 5 | 1 | ● | ● | | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | ● |
| Williams Lake | 101 | 5708 | | ● | 7 | | | | ● | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | ● | ● | ● | |

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Eastern Idaho: Upper Snake Field Office

Whether fishing or floating the internationally-renowned South Fork of the Snake River, taking an exhilarating buggy ride on the St. Anthony Sand Dunes, or a quiet stroll on the Cress Creek Nature trail, visitors will find an impressive variety of recreational activities for enthusiasts of all ability levels.

The St. Anthony Sand Dunes is the largest tract of sand dunes in Idaho, covering approximately 175 square miles. This 10,000-acre off-highway vehicle (OHV) playground offers dunes ranging from 50 to 400 feet in height. Exploration of this area's sandy grounds can also be done on foot or horseback. Adjacent Egin Lakes Campground offers facilities for overnight guests. This popular dune-riding destination is also home to large populations of wintering elk, deer and moose.

The majestic South Fork of the Snake River flows for 66 miles through high mountain valleys, rugged canyons, and broad flood plains. This section of the Snake River supports the largest riparian cottonwood gallery forest in the West and is among the most unique and diverse ecosystems in Idaho. It is a birdwatching

paradise that is home to 126 bird species, including 21 raptors (birds of prey) and is designated as a National Important Bird Area. The river also supports the largest native cutthroat fishery outside of Yellowstone National Park. The South Fork is known throughout the country as a premier blue ribbon trout fishery, and was selected as the host site for the 1997 World Fly-Fishing Championship. Multiple access points are available to float the South Fork. Take your own boat or go with a guide. To get a bird's eye view of the South Fork of the Snake River, take a stroll along the beautiful 1¼-mile Cress Creek Nature Trail.

To discover more about the area's environment, try one of the four interpretive trails. Each trail system incorporates educational information along the trail route. Visitors can learn about the geology, recreation opportunities, local plant communities and common wildlife species viewed in that area.

Hikers will also enjoy challenging ascents through this area's geologic past. Big Southern Butte is one of the largest volcanic domes in the world, yet is one of the youngest (300,000 years old). Hikers who trek to the top of this 7,550-foot high summit will be rewarded with spectacular panoramic views stretching for miles. The Hell's Half Acre lava trail crosses the Snake River Plain desert through the rough terrain and contorted landscapes created by multiple lava flows. This flow is the most recent in eastern Idaho, having erupted about 4,100 years ago.



Fishing near the South Fork of the Snake River



South Fork of the Snake River



South Fork of the Snake River
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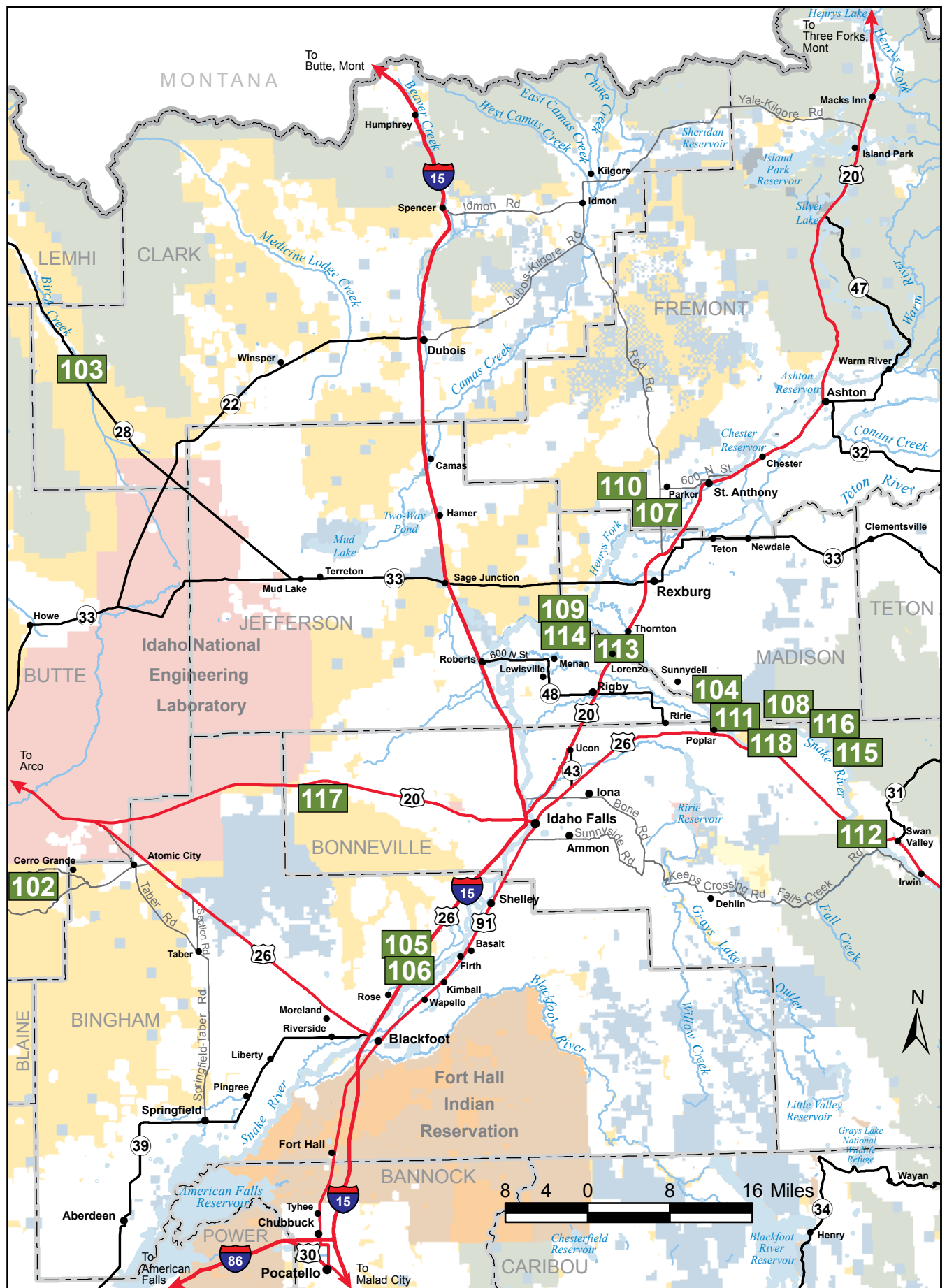


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| Big Southern Butte | | 102 | 7538 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | • | • | • | |
| Birch Creek Recreation Area | | 103 | 6016 | | | 19 | 4 | | | • | • | | | | | • | | | | |
| Cress Creek Nature Trail | | 104 | 5302 | • | | | | | • | | • | | | | | • | | • | | • |
| Hell's Half Acre Lava Trail: Northbound 1-15 | | 105 | 4569 | • | | | | | • | • | • | | | | | | | • | | • |
| Hell's Half Acre Lava Trail: Southbound 1-15 | | 106 | 4570 | • | | | | | • | • | • | | | | | | | • | | • |
| Red Road Bridge Boat Access (Henry's Fork) | | 107 | 4858 | • | | | | | | | • | | | • | • | • | | | | |
| Kelly Island Campground | | 108 | 5014 | | • | 14 | 1 | | • | • | • | | | | | • | | | | |
| North Menan Butte Trail | | 109 | 5606 | | | | | | | | • | | | | | | | • | | • |
| St. Anthony Sand Dunes - Egin Lakes Campground and Day Use Area | | 110 | 4885 | | • | 48 | 10 | | • | • | • | • | E | | | | | • | | |
| South Fork of Snake River: Boat Access | Byington | 111 | 5026 | • | • | | | | • | • | • | | | • | • | • | | | | |
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| | Lorenzo | 113 | 4859 | • | • | | | | • | | • | | | • | • | • | | | | |
| | Menan Buttes | 114 | 4805 | • | • | | | | | | • | | | • | • | • | | | | |
| Warm Springs Parking Area | | 115 | 5149 | • | | | | | | | | | | | | • | | | | |
| Stinking Springs Trail | | 116 | 6647 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | • | • | • | |
| Twenty Mile Trail | | 117 | 5122 | | | | | • | | | | | | | | | | • | | |
| Wolf Flats Recreation Area | | 118 | 5052 | | | 25 | | | | | • | | | • | | • | | | | |
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Central Idaho: Burley Field Office

This area's basalt cliffs and grasslands offer outstanding hunting for upland game birds and antelope, while a local reservoir provides plenty of fishing opportunities for visiting anglers.

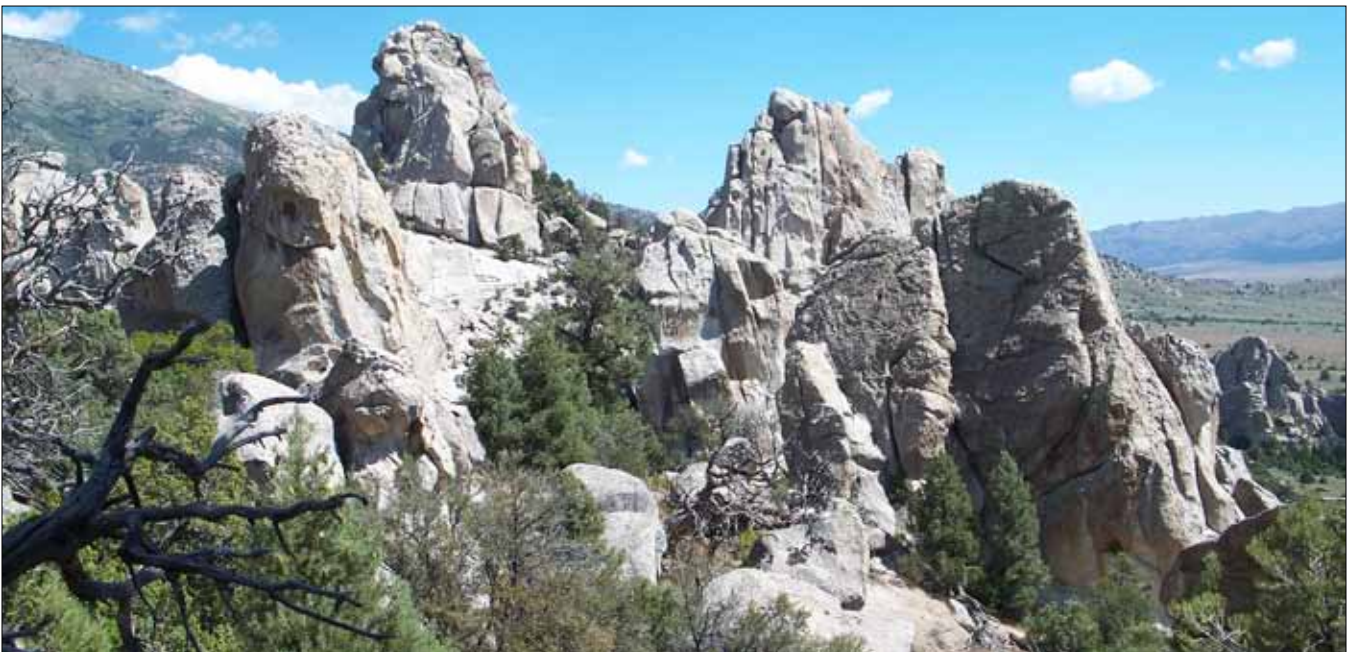
Water activities in this region are popular during warm and cold weather. During warm months, anglers flock to Lud Drexler Park in search of abundant brown trout, kokanee salmon, yellow perch, black crappie, chinook salmon, channel catfish, small mouth bass and walleye. In January and February, visitors often arrive to ice fish at the Salmon Falls Creek Reservoir.

The Cotterel Mountains provide wonderful, peaceful hiking opportunities with scenic vistas. Hikers can also combine their love of the outdoors with a cultural learning experience at Milner Historic Recreation Area. Deep ruts are still visible here, remnants of the Oregon Trail emigrants who passed through this area over 100 years ago. Just north of the west entrance to Milner, an interpretive shelter and hiking trail leads to the ruts.

For those interested in wildlife viewing, take a trip to the Rock Creek Canyon - Shoshone Basin area. The paved roads travel through a steep, rock-walled canyon along Rock Creek, where you might see mallards, teal or mule deer on their winter range (December through February). In May through October, look for birds that call this area home including yellow warbler, American goldfinch, brown-headed cowbird, belted kingfisher and northern flicker.

Nearby Electric Spring is a 25-acre marsh, fenced to protect nesting waterfowl and wading birds. Look for the interpretive signs and keep an eye out for geese and ducks on the nesting islands. Visitors heading west from the marsh into the sagebrush flatlands of the Basin may catch a glimpse of pronghorn and sage-grouse. The area also has numerous campgrounds and hiking trails.

For the skiing enthusiast, the Magic Mountain area has several cross-country ski trails available. Occasionally a porcupine, longtailed weasel, or Steller's or gray jay may be seen on explorations in the backcountry.



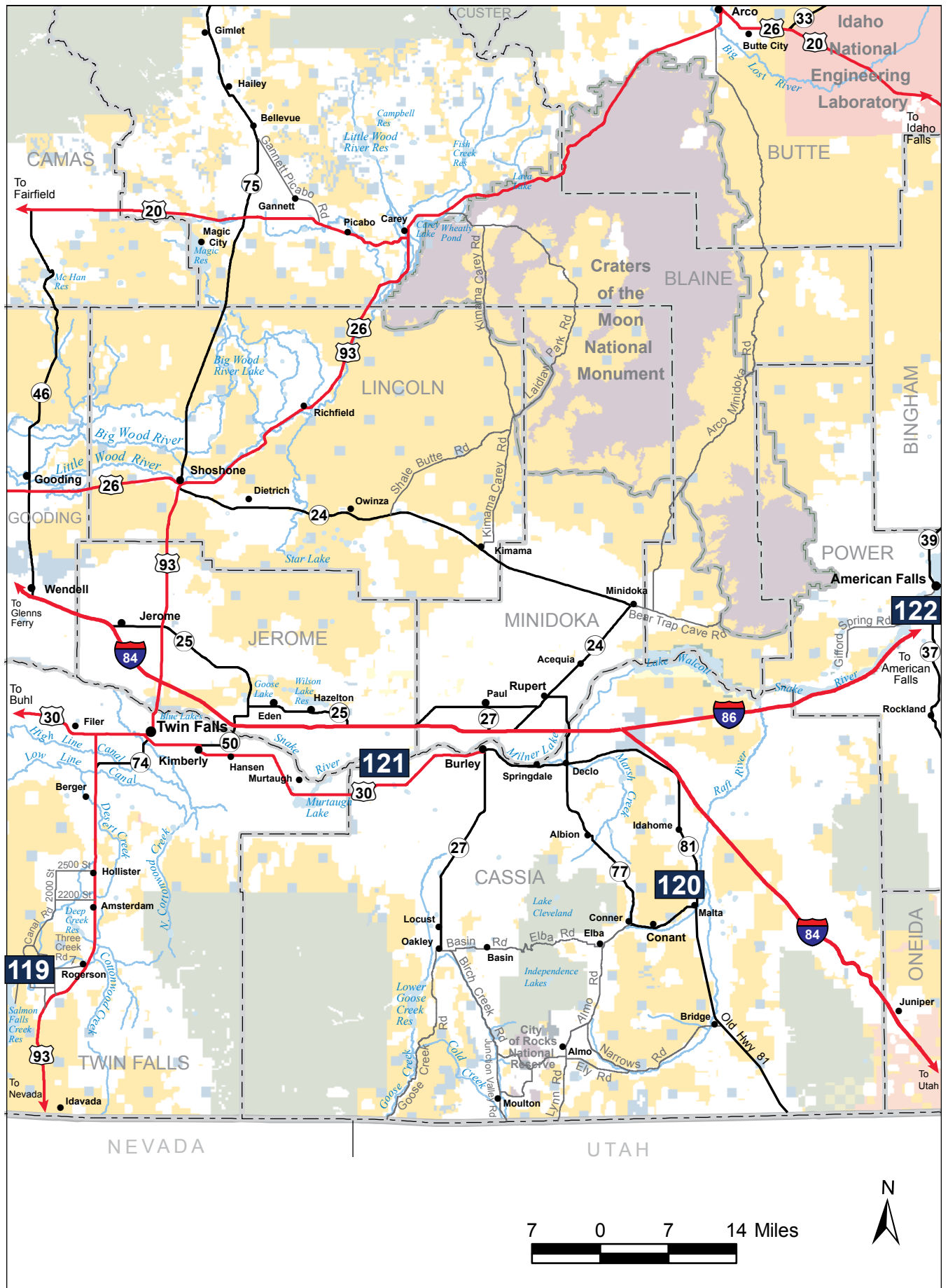


Horseback riding in the Burley area



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| Lud Drexler Park | 119 | 5045 | | ● | 20 | | | | ● | ● | | | | ● | ● | | | | |
| McClendon Spring Campground | 120 | 4839 | | | P | | | | | ● | | | | | | | | | |
| Milner Historic Recreation Area | 121 | 4153 | | ● | 20 | | | | | ● | | | | ● | ● | | | | ● |
| Snake River Vista | 122 | 4438 | | | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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Central Idaho: Jarbidge Field Office

Spectacular desert wilderness canyons contain scenic wild and scenic rivers in the remote expanses of this unique region.

The trip along the Thousand Springs Scenic Byway is a great opportunity to gain a taste of what Southern Idaho has to offer its guests. While traveling along this byway, visitors are treated to views of the Snake River, the Hagerman Fossil Beds National Monument, numerous fish hatcheries, Shoshone Falls and Thousands Springs.

Whitewater recreation on the Jarbidge and Bruneau Wild and Scenic Rivers is a highlight of this area.

The 69-mile Bruneau/Jarbidge River System flows north from the mountains of northern Nevada through the Owyhee Uplands to the Snake River in southern Idaho. The Jarbidge River joins with the West Fork Bruneau River to form the Bruneau River about 24 miles north of the Nevada border, just upstream of Indian Hot Springs. While these Wild and Scenic rivers provide challenging whitewater, they also pose significant danger due to dramatic variations in flows, severe weather, log jams and portages.

The primary float season generally runs from April through mid-June, and the Bruneau River flows usually peak in mid to late May. Optimal flows for rafting the Bruneau are between 800 and 2,000 cfs on the Bruneau River gauge. Due to its narrow, rocky channel, and one or more portages, the Jarbidge is primarily boated by kayakers. At some flows, the Jarbidge is passable for small rafts and catarafts. Depending on flows, both the Jarbidge and Bruneau Rivers may also be kayaked in late June and early July. Both rivers are not recommended for boating in any craft when the Bruneau gauge reading exceeds 2,500 cfs. More information about boating these rivers can be found on the BLM-Idaho website.

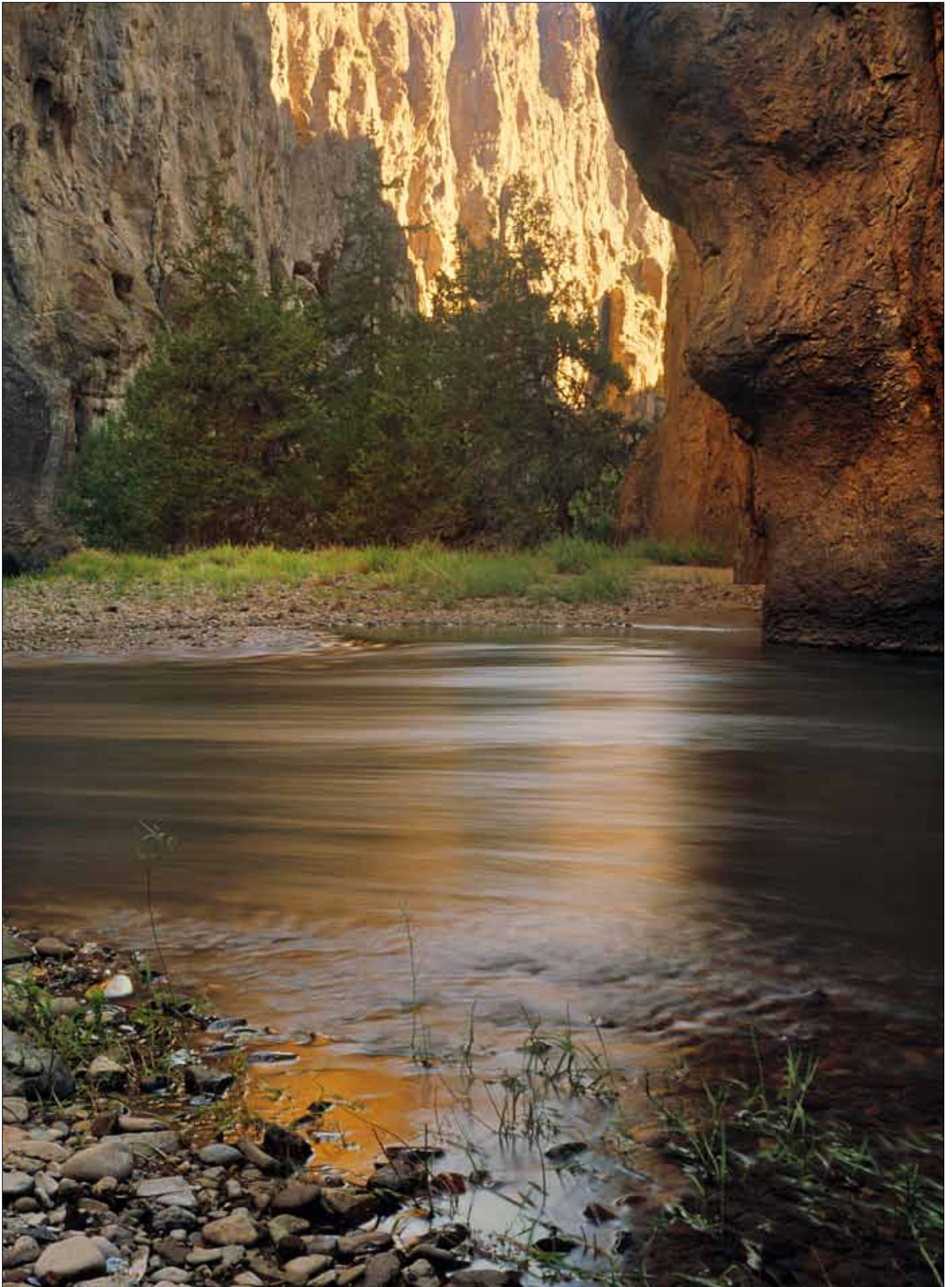
Off-highway vehicle (OHV) enthusiasts will find

plenty of primitive two-track roads to explore in this area. Consider taking a ride on the Idaho Centennial Trail or the Roberson Trail, which provides access into the Bruneau-Jarbidge River Wilderness. This area is frequently used in the spring and early summer by whitewater boaters to access the Five Mile Rapids, a series of Class IV rapids on the Bruneau River.

The Jarbidge Foothills rise from the plains of southern Idaho and lead to the extensive peaks of the Jarbidge mountain range in northern Nevada. The sloping foothills extend from Salmon Falls Creek on the east to the Bruneau and Jarbidge rivers on the west, providing scenic views of southern Idaho from their crests. Although BLM doesn't have designated trails or facilities here, numerous trails wind throughout the area. Hikers and hunters will be treated to beautiful, panoramic views and pristine wildlife habitat.



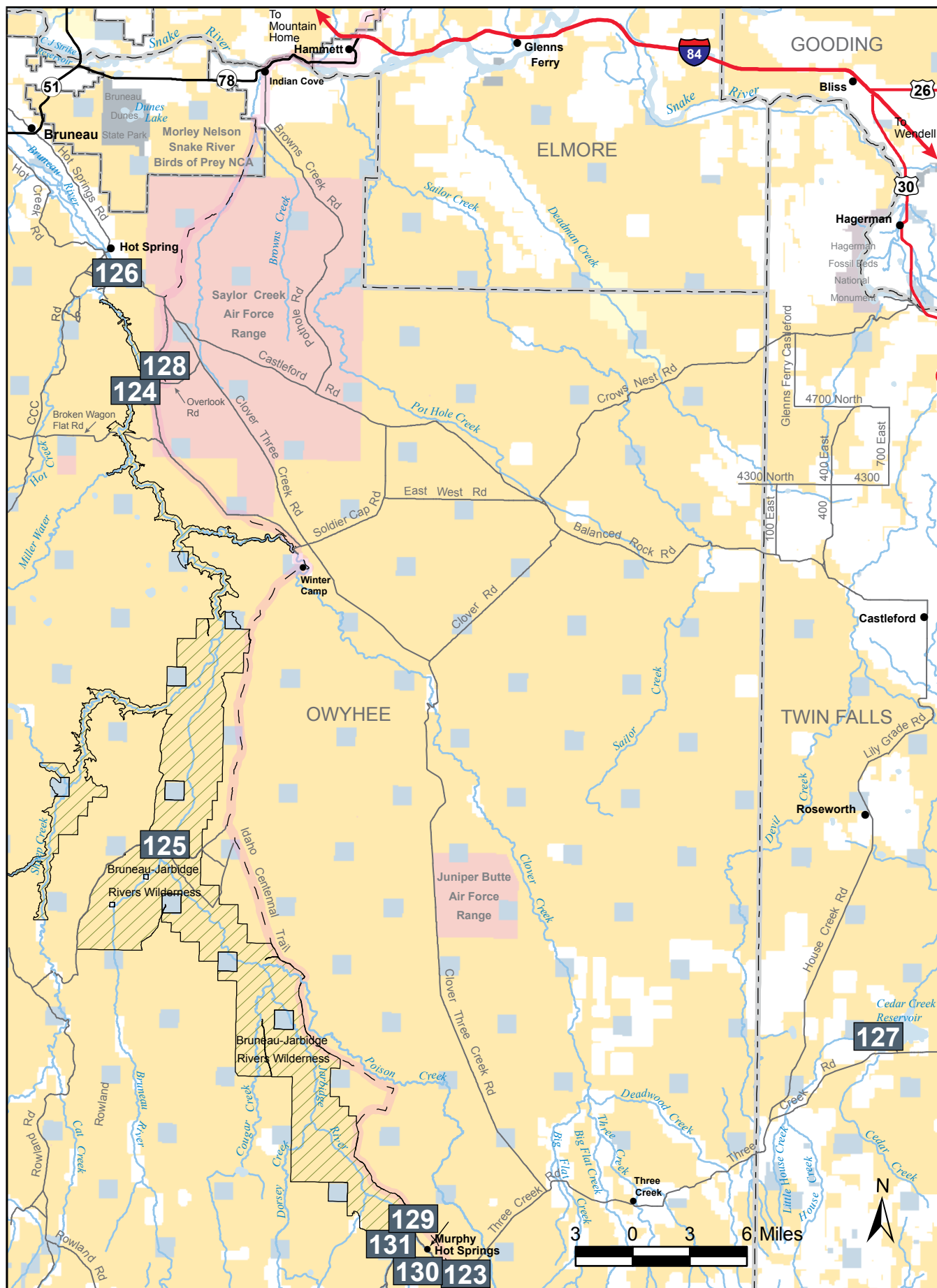
Bruneau River Canyon



Bruneau River Canyon
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| Jarbridge Field Office | Recreation Site No. | Elevation (feet) | Day Use Only | Fees | No. Camp Sites* | No. Group Sites | Day-Use Shelters | Accessibility | Drinking Water | Toilets | RV Dump Station | RV Hookups | Boat Access | Boat Ramp | Fishing | OHV Trailheads | Hiking | Biking | Interpretation |
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| Big Cottonwood | 123 | 5150 | | | 4 | | | ● | | ● | | | | | ● | | | | |
| Bruneau Canyon Overlook | 124 | 3612 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ● | | ● |
| Bruneau River Launch Site | 125 | 3687 | | | | | | | | | | | ● | | ● | | ● | | |
| Bruneau River Take-Out | 126 | 2618 | | | | | | | | | | | ● | | ● | | | | |
| Cedar Creek Reservoir | 127 | 5226 | | | | | | | | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| Idaho Centennial Road/Trail | 128 | 3620 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ● | ● | ● | |
| Jarbridge River Launch Site | 129 | 5032 | | | 3 | | | | | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | ● | | ● |
| Juniper Grove | 130 | 5183 | | | 4 | | | ● | | ● | | | | | ● | | | | |
| The Forks | 131 | 5050 | | | 4 | | | ● | | | | | | | ● | | | | |
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Central Idaho: Shoshone Field Office

South Central Idaho is full of recreational, historic, scenic and cultural marvels. In this area, find world-class skiing or the popular fly fishing destination of Silver Creek. Visitors will also find fantastic mountain biking opportunities at Croy Creek and be able to explore the volcanic lava tubes of Craters of the Moon National Monument.

Located in Sun Valley's backyard, Bald Mountain is a popular ski and snowboard destination not only for its neighbors, but also for visitors from around the world. Lake Creek is home to Sun Valley's Nordic Center and Olympic athletes use this area's more than 200 miles of groomed Nordic trails as their training grounds. Also a popular summer destination, visitors enjoy this area for mountain biking and hiking.

Hosting plenty of world-class fishing spots, Central Idaho is a fly fisherman's paradise along the Big Wood River, Big Lost River, Little Wood River and Silver Creek. Silver Creek has the highest density of trout for any river of its size. The Sun Peak and Lake Creek Trailheads provide access to the Big Wood River and its trail systems and provide a great spot to take a hike or strap on a pair of skis.

Magic Reservoir is a popular fishing destination and also offers opportunities for

water skiing and boating. This is the only recreation site in the region that has a boat ramp.

Mountain bikers, hikers and equestrians of all experience levels will find wonderful trails in the heart of the Wood River Valley. The 22-mile Croy Creek recreation area, trail system and skills development area is located just three miles outside of Hailey, Idaho. Visitors from the local area, along with out-of-town guests, enjoy this unique trail system for its wide variety of experiences.

Co-managed by the BLM and the National Park Service, the Craters of the Moon National Monument is a geologic wonder cast in a wild and remote landscape. Craters, cinder cones, lava tubes, deep cracks and vast lava fields form a strangely beautiful volcanic sea on central Idaho's Snake River Plain. Visitors can explore this area by car while traveling along a 7-mile loop drive or by exploring via hiking paths and interpretative trails. In the winter, this area is a great spot for snowshoeing and cross-country skiing. This area is recognized as part of BLM's National Landscape Conservation System which serves to protect and conserve special places on public lands.



Croy Creek recreation area



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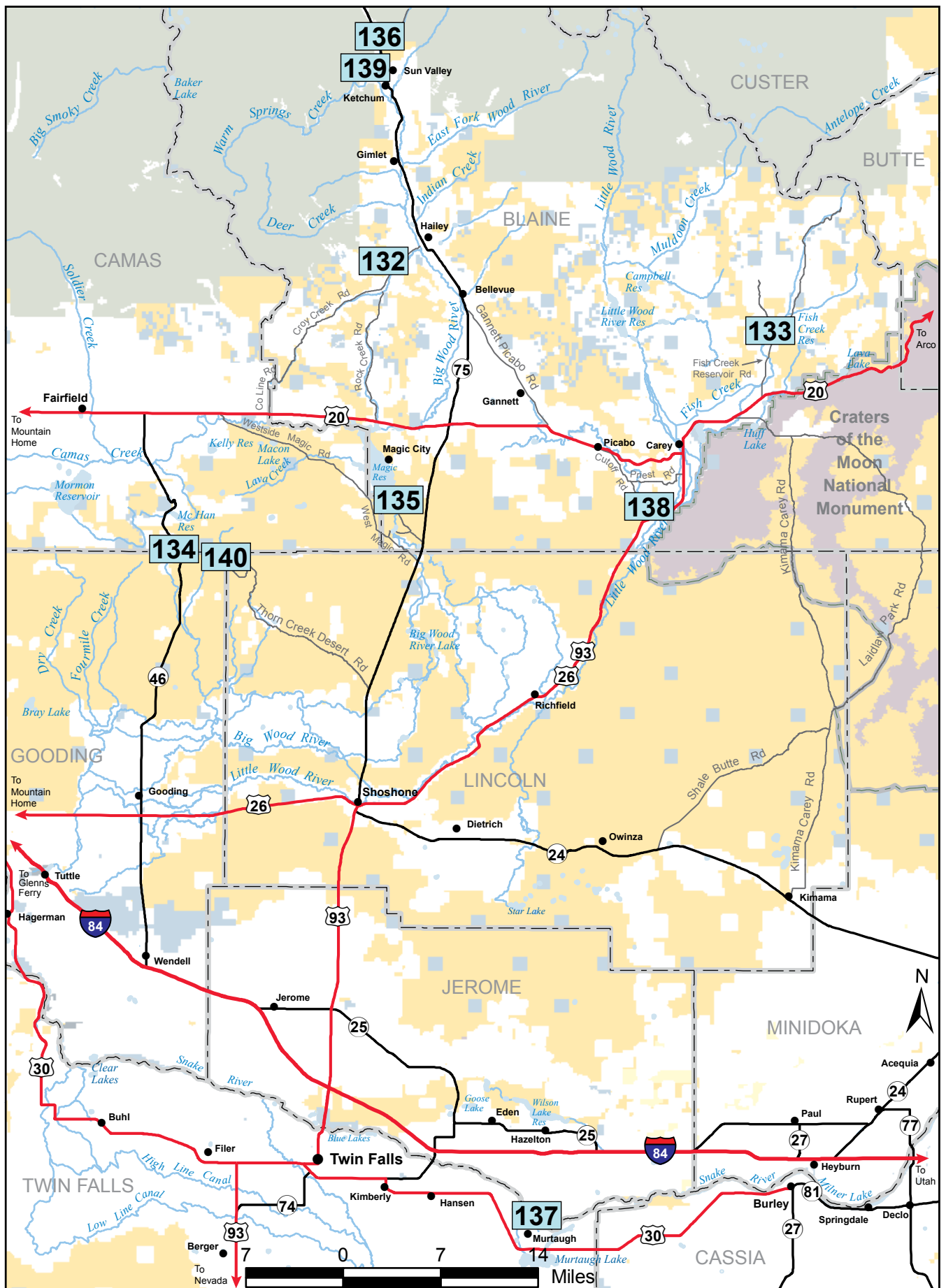


Craters of the Moon and Big Southern Butte
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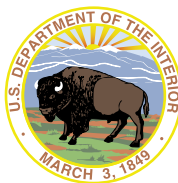


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| Croy Creek Recreation Area and Trailhead | 132 | 5702 | ● | | | | | | | ● | | | | | | ● | ● | ● | |
| Fish Creek Reservoir | 133 | 5360 | | | 1 | | | | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | | | |
| Gooding/Camas County Line | 134 | 5554 | | | | | ● | | | ● | | | | | | | | | |
| Magic Reservoir | 135 | 4816 | | | P | | | | | ● | | | ● | ● | ● | | | | ● |
| Lake Creek Trailhead | 136 | 5974 | ● | | | | | | | ● | | | | | ● | | ● | ● | |
| Murtaugh Boating Access | 137 | 3822 | | | | | | | | | | | ● | | ● | | | | |
| Silver Creek (North and South) | 138 | 4714 4698 | | | 3 | | | | | ● | | | | | ● | | | | |
| Sun Peak Picnic Area | 139 | 5898 | ● | | | 1 | | ● | | ● | | | | | ● | | ● | ● | |
| Thorn Creek Reservoir | 140 | 5541 | | | P | | | | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | | | |
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